Atty Dkt.: **214793.00011** PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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TILTON, Lynn)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 3694
Appln. No.: 10/621,443)	
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Filed: July 18, 2003)	Confirmation No.: 1017
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For: METHOD OF SECURING A)	December 17, 2008
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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND <u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the July 3, 2008 Restriction Requirement to January 3, 2009. Please charge the extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. Any additional fee required, and any overpayments should also be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.